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## TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, January 15.

Black diphtheria is prevalent in Manitoba.

W. Waddington, the French statesman, is dead.

The maritime provinces have been swept by a serious storm.

British Columbia was shaken with an earthquake on Sunday.

The parish councils bill has been passed by the British commons.

By the capsizing of a ferry boat six Englishmen were drowned at Baltimore.

An earthquake was felt in Western Ontario on Friday and in Quebec yesterday.

For murdering and robbing a farmer three men were lynched in Kansas on Sunday.

Owen Walker's house at Leithbridge was burned on Saturday night. Loss \$20,000.

Business men are objecting to the meeting of parliament being delayed until March.

A large contingent of Manitoba and Northwest curlers left on Sunday to attend the big bonspiel at St. Paul.

Six hundred Chinese women and children were cremated at a theatrical performance at Hongkong, on December 8th.

Non. Joe. Martin is addressing a series of meetings in the Territories. He spoke at Mooseomin on Saturday, denouncing the tariff.

## LOCAL.

Council meeting to-night.

Trains left Calgary on time.

R. A. McKENZIE of Beaver lake is in town to-day.

Inspector Snyder has recovered from his late attack of illness.

Miss Hopkins, left for Fairhaven, Washington, on Friday's train.

HUTTON & HADDOCK shipped a car of oats to Golden, B. C. last week.

The sale of the Pappaschasse Indian reserve will open on February 1st.

The Raymond Hotel, South Edmonton, gives a ball on Friday night next.

S. CROSSLAND, St. Albert, has assigned to H. W. McKenney, for the benefit of his creditors.

Jas. H. Kelly returned on Thursday's train from a visit to Ontario, accompanied by his two children.

John Cameron will ship a car of oats to Vancouver by to-morrow's train. This will be the sixth car this season.

The electric light company has erected a coal shed at the electric light station to hold 100 tons of coal. John Delong, contractor.

Miss F. White returned on Friday's train to Melford, Alberta, from a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Anderson.

FREE PRESS: Bishop Young of Athabasca, is in Montreal and will remain for some days, during which he will deliver a series of addresses.

A SETTLER near Rabbit hill, whose hay stacks are being seriously damaged by rabbits, in one night caught 32 alive in a small pit which he dug for their capture.

CORNT DE CAZES, Indian agent at Stony Plain, returned from Chicago on Thursday's train. He was in charge of the Northwest Indian exhibit at the World's fair and had a very busy time.

DICKSON & WILKIE, South Edmonton: have sold their grocery business to H. Wilson, who will add groceries to his present dry goods business. The firm of Wilkie & Dickson will continue in the real estate, produce and commission business.

The voting on the erection of Fonquet Roman Catholic public school district took place on Wednesday January 10th. This district comprises all but the west and south end of sections of township 50, range 24, being the township south of Sandy lake and northeast of Leduc.

The partnership of Chave & Corriveau, hardware merchants, has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Corriveau and another gentleman whose name has not transpired, will continue the business under the name of the Edmonton Hardware Company, in the new Taylor block, which will be ready for occupation about the middle of February. The new store will be fitted up in first class style and will be second to none in the Territories.

At a meeting of Court Edmonton, No. 1246, I. O. F., the following members were elected officers for the current year: C. R. R. Hockley; V. C. R. J. Lubbock; recording secretary, L. W. Chisholm; financial secretary, C. M. Woodworth; treasurer, J. T. Blaney; S. W. P. Umbach; J. W. A. H. Goodwin; S. R. H. H. Robertson; J. B. A. W. V. Vaudin; chaplain, W. Lockhart; P. C. R. H. C. Taylor; physician, J. D. Harrison. Installation of officers on January 26th.

An approximate estimate of the crop in the Edmonton district for the past season places it at something over 300,000 bushels. This figure is arrived at by reckoning the number of threshers at work, and the length of time they were employed. Five steam threshers were at work all season. The average return from each machine is estimated at 50,000 bushels. Four horse power threshers were at work and their output is estimated at 15,000 bushels each. This would give a total of 310,000 bushels, which is considered to be a low estimate. About two-thirds of the total return of grain is oats, the remaining third is about equally divided between wheat and barley. This calculation would give about 200,000 bushels of oats and 50,000 bushels each of wheat and barley. Although the yield has been very good on all fields with average cultivation, so much new land has been brought under crop of which the cultivation was slighted, that the average yield was greatly reduced. For instance one of the threshers gives the maximum yields of 85 bushels and barley 57 bushels, while the average for the season was only 18 1/2 of wheat and 29 1/2 of barley and 40 1/2 of oats. On the whole the yield was better than last year and the quality of the wheat very much better.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN agricultural society holds its annual meeting in F. Fraser Tims office. Fort Saskatchewan on Friday, January 19th at 2 o'clock p. m.

G. H. GRAYDON, late of Bole, Wynne & Co., Winnipeg, who has purchased the drug business lately owned by Peter Ross, arrived on Thursday's train.

E. TAYLOR, manager of the H. B. store, Calgary, and son of Thos. Taylor of the H. B. Co., lake St. Ann, arrived on Thursday's train on a visit to friends in Edmonton.

G. N. MEARON is given 60 days from January 8th to show cause why his home-stead entry for the south 1/2 of the southeast 1/4 of section 6, tp. 54, range 23 should not be cancelled.

A CONCERT in aid of the building fund of Holy Trinity church, South Edmonton, will be held on Tuesday January 23rd in Parrish's hall. Some of the best musical talent in Edmonton will assist in the programme.

W. VOGEL, caught a large golden eagle alive last week near the forks of the White and Black mud creeks at Rabbit hill. The eagle had become gorged with a feast of rabbits so that it could not fly, and Mr. Vogel ran it down on foot.

PROF. MARDEN, the mind reader who exhibited at Edmonton in August last, is touring in Ontario as Prof. Fontana. Chas. Kelly the Winnipeg singer, who visited Edmonton with Rube Allen last spring, is a member of the combination.

ST. DENNIS of the Edmonton detachments of mounted police leaves on Thursday's train for Red Deer to take charge of the detachment there. Staff Sgt. Diamond of Red Deer will come to Fort Saskatchewan by Thursday's train to replace Staff Sgt. Hetherington who replaces Sgt. Dunning at Edmonton.

A DINNER party was given at the bachelors hall known as "The Orphanage" on Thursday night last, the occasion being the approaching departure of J. R. Michel for Picher creek, Alberta. A very jolly time was spent. Mr. Michel, who has been a resident of Edmonton for many years, has the best wishes of every one in his new position.

A REPLY was received by John Cameron on Thursday's mail from Robt. Kerr, traffic manager of the C. P. R. in regard to the request made for a reduction in freight rates. The letter from Mr. Kerr is dated Winnipeg, January 6th and says: "Your letter did not reach there (Winnipeg) until I had left for Vancouver. It has only now caught up and I have at once submitted the case to our management at Montreal, from whom I shall hear in a short time doubtless, when I will have pleasure in again communicating with you."

A YOUNG man named W. T. Swan died on Thursday in South Edmonton, of diphtheria. He was about eighteen years of age. He came to Edmonton from Nebraska last spring and settled with his brother at the two creeks east of Fort Saskatchewan on the Beaver lake trail. He fell ill shortly after his arrival and grew gradually worse until his death. He was cared for some time in the mounted police hospital at Fort Saskatchewan. The funeral took place on Saturday to the Edmonton cemetery. Rev. D. G. McQueen conducted the funeral services.

R. GOULET of the Dominion lands office, Winnipeg, arrived on Thursday's train to enquire into the matter of half breed scrip claimed by the Jasper house band of Iroquois half breeds, and also to straighten up some other scrip claims made by parties who although resident in Manitoba or the organized districts of the Northwest on July, 1879, were residing in the Mackenzie river district during the several distributions of scrip, and have therefore never received their allotments. Mr. Goulet is a native of Red River and personally acquainted with most of the claimants or with members of their families, and consequently is a most suitable person to ensure a fair settlement of those claims. He was a member of the scrip commissions who visited Edmonton in 1885 and 1886.

A VERY flattering notice of the Imperial bank, a branch of which is one of the institutions of Edmonton, appears in a recent issue of the Toronto Globe and in The Shareholder of Montreal. The bank was organized in Toronto by Toronto men in 1875. Shortly afterwards it was amalgamated with the Niagara district bank. Since its organization it has passed through four periods of severe financial stringency, but has paid dividends regularly every year, which dividends have now aggregated more than the entire amount of the original capital of one million dollars. This is to say, that the stockholders have received back dollar for dollar of the capital they paid in, leaving them besides the original amount of their stock, which is daily increasing in value. The bank has branches in Winnipeg, Portage la Prairie, Brandon, Prince Albert, Calgary and Edmonton. The presence of a chartered bank at any point means plenty of money for legitimate enterprises at moderate rates. The assistance that this must be in the development of a new country can be easily understood. The fact that the Imperial bank has established branches at so many points in the west is not only creditable to the judgment of its managers, who have thus shown a greater confidence in the country than any other bank, but to their enterprise as well; and has also been a great assistance in the development of the country. The profits of the bank for the year ending 1893, amounted to \$242,419, after deducting charges of management and interest due to depositors and making provision for bad and doubtful debts. The rest up to that date was \$1,100,385. Total liabilities to the public are \$9,507,389, to meet which are assets immediately available of \$4,773,013. The paid up capital is less than \$2,000,000. From this it will be seen that the bank cannot have lost money on its western branches, thereby tending to remove the bad reputation under which this country has lain since the collapse of the boom of twelve years ago. Good returns testify to good management, and it is only fair to say that the management of the Edmonton branch by Mr. Kirkpatrick has well maintained the reputation of the institution.

Wm. EASTON has built a carpenter shop at his residence, Rice street, where he will carry on a jobbing and contracting business.

THE Northwest Gazette of January 1st contains the appointment of Richard Dinwoodie, East Edmonton, and John Allan McPherson of Stony Plain to be justices of the peace.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### LOST—SEAL SKIN CAP.

Lost on Belmont road on Saturday, Jan. 13th, a seal skin cap. Finder will please leave same at BELLEVILLE office.

EDMONTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. NOTICE TO PRIZE WINNERS.

The prize money won at the late exhibition of the above society, will be paid on application to Campbell Young, secretary, at T. W. L. Co's warehouse, Jasper Avenue.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that tenders for assessing the above society, will be received by the undersigned up to January 25th, 1894. Assessor to supply all his necessary materials, J. D. FOSTER, Secretary, Clover Bar.

LOST. I have lost my place about December 25th. One black horse, brown legs, white down his nose, no brand to be seen, trimmed tail, saddle mark on back, four white legs. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take him away. JOHN ANDERSON, Miners' Flat.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. The annual meeting of the members, will be held at the office of the undersigned, on Friday the 19th instant, at 2 o'clock p. m. by order F. FRASER TIMS, Secretary-Treasurer.

POST OFFICE----- :---:Drug Store, EDMONTON, ALTA.

The undersigned having purchased from Bole Wynne & Co. Winnipeg, the drug business lately carried on in Edmonton by F. Ross, will open a complete new stock in a few days. A full line of drugs and patent medicines, etc. Only fresh and strictly pure drugs will be kept in stock.

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TICKETS \$1.00 To admit one. Dancing to commence at 8:30 Refreshments.

Tickets may be had at the Alberta, Queen's and Jasper House and at E. Raymer's Store.

MAPS OF EDMONTON. A limited number of Lithographed maps of the Town of Edmonton for sale at \$2 a piece. JAS. McDONALD, Real Estate Agent.

LITTLE & CO. Manufacturers of and Dealers in BRICK, Edmonton, Alberta.

W HARTON'S MAIN STREET.

Notice of Assignment. NOTICE is hereby given that M. G. Connor, of Edmonton, furniture dealer, did on the 24th day of November, 1893, assign to me all his real and personal property not exempt from seizure, bonds, notes and book debts, for the benefit of his creditors.

All persons owing the said estate must make immediate payment to the undersigned. The deed of the assignment lies at the office of C. M. Woodworth, at Edmonton, for the signature of the creditors. THOMAS BELLAIR, Assignee.

Until further notice business will be conducted as usual at the old stand, Pioneer furniture house Jasper Avenue.

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Anyone visiting Northern Alberta, should come and see Fort Saskatchewan

## NOTICE.

Having retired from business as Flour and Feed Merchant and Livery Stable Keepers we beg to give notice that we have placed our books in the hands of A. McNicol, accountant, Imperial Bank Building, Edmonton, who is authorized to receive monies on our account and wind up our business.

WHITE & STEWART. Fort Saskatchewan, 5th January, 1894.

IN THE MATTER OF WHITE & STEWART. All persons indebted to the above firm are hereby notified to settle their accounts at my office within Fourteen days from date and prevent costs.

A. McNicol, Imperial Bank Building, Edmonton, 5th January, 1894.

Mortgage Sale. Under and by virtue of a certain Real Estate Mortgage, dated the 7th day of November, A. D. 1892 and wherein Joseph Billie is named as Mortgagor. There will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Sheriff's Office, Edmonton, in the District of Alberta on Monday the 22nd day of January next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, by Walter Scott Robertson, Auctioneer, the following property namely:—

All and singular that certain tract of land and premises situate lying and being the south east corner section twenty two (22), township fifty-four (54), range twenty-five (25), of the fourth (4) meridian in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories of Canada containing by admeasurement one hundred and sixty (160) acres be the same more or less together with all buildings and improvements thereon.

TERMS part CASH, balance on easy terms of payment. Dated at Edmonton this 21st day of December 1893. For further particulars apply to S. S. & H. C. TAYLOR, Solicitors for Mortgagee.

P. Heimink & Co. Agents for the sale of town lots on Hudson's Bay Company's Reserve.

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In The Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories Northern Alberta Judicial District.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FRANCIS G. STEWART, DECEASED. Upon the application of Charles F. Stewart the administrator of the estate of the said deceased and upon reading the petition, affidavits and other documents filed upon his application for letters of Administration:

I do hereby order that all creditors and persons having claims against the estate of the said Francis G. Stewart, deceased, late of the Settlement of Clover Bar in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories, Farmer, who died on or about the thirty-first day of October 1893, do send in their claims against the estate of the said deceased to the said Charles F. Stewart at Clover Bar, aforesaid, within six weeks after the first publication of this notice in the Edmonton Bulletin;

I do hereby direct that this order shall be published in the said newspaper once in each week for four consecutive weeks.

And notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the time above fixed the said Charles F. Stewart shall be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only as to which the said Charles F. Stewart has then notice; and that he shall not be liable for the estate or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Charles F. Stewart shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said estate or any part thereof as aforesaid.

Dated this 16th day of December, A. D. 1893. CHAS. B. ROULEAU, J. S. C.

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### THE PROHIBITION VOTE.

The vote on the question of prohibition of the liquor traffic in Ontario is as great a surprise as was that in Manitoba. In Prince Edward Island, too, public opinion has expressed itself against the liquor traffic by an immense majority. In these three provinces at any rate there can be no question that public opinion is strongly on the side of the restriction and if possible the extinction of the traffic in intoxicating liquors as a beverage. Recognizing the fact that intoxicants used as a beverage are an evil, the people, exercising the right that belongs to them, have formally called upon the legislatures to restrain and as far as possible eradicate that evil. The time for argument as to the liquor traffic being an evil has evidently gone by. The public mind has been educated to the point of considering it as such, and also to the point of demanding its removal. The only question remaining is as to the possibility of its being removed, and the ways and means whereby it can be removed. One great objection that has been made to prohibitory legislation is that its enforcement is an impossibility—that no matter how stringent a law is passed or what trouble is taken to enforce it the traffic will continue. Admitting that this is true, it is no greater an objection to a prohibitory law than it would be to the law against theft, forgery or murder. Stringent though the law against these offences is, they still occur. But the fact of their occurrence is never used as an argument why the law against them should not exist. Self preservation is the first law of nature, and this law applies to communities as well as to individuals. Society has the inherent right to protect itself against any form of evil by any means that may be necessary and practicable. If the liquor traffic is admitted to be an evil, and a vast majority of voters in three of the provinces of Canada have declared their opinion that it is, it is the duty of the legislatures to provide means of protecting society from that evil. Of course it is universally admitted that if public opinion is not in favor of any given law, its enforcement is thereby rendered so difficult that it is likely to fall into disrepute and become a dead letter, and that indeed it might as well not be enacted. But with the majorities cast for prohibition in these three provinces it is clear that opponents of the liquor traffic have the right to have the matter put to the test. Had the majorities been smaller the case would not be so clear, for with prohibition on the aggressive as it was in these contests a fuller prohibition vote would be polled than of those who either were against prohibition or were lukewarm in their views. And it might well be that when the law would take effect and the opponents of prohibition thereby be put upon their mettle, the apparent majority might shrink to a minority or to a majority not sufficiently large for the purposes of satisfactory enforcement. With such huge majorities for prohibition this argument cannot now be used as an excuse for legislative inaction. One point which makes a large majority on the side of prohibition necessary for the proper enforcement of the law is that the individuals who constitute the prohibition party have no pecuniary interest in the enforcement of the law which they favor, while a very considerable proportion of the individuals who constitute the liquor party have a very large pecuniary interest in fighting prohibition and in breaking and helping to break the prohibitory law. Given a case in which one party makes money by the advancement of their views while the other party either makes nothing or actually loses money by the advancement of theirs, and it is plain to be seen that the latter party must be much the larger to balance the greater energy which

the former will naturally throw into their efforts. Add to money considerations the gratification of appetite and the strength of prejudice, and it will be seen how strong in numbers the prohibition party must be to secure the satisfactory enforcement of their views.

Although everyone must acknowledge that the voting in the provinces is an order for action by the provincial legislatures, the first difficulty in the way is that there is a difference of opinion as to whether or not the provincial legislatures have the power under the confederation act to pass prohibitory legislation; it being held by some good authorities that that power rests solely with the federal parliament. If the respective provincial governments are as desirous of giving effect to the popular will as they tacitly claimed to be when they submitted the question to popular vote they will lose no time in putting the matter to the test. And the Dominion government will if it is wise lose no time in removing any doubt that may exist by divesting parliament of the right which it now possesses—if it does possess it—and handing that right over to the provinces, as was done in the case of the Northwest Territories, whose local legislature has been expressly given the power to enact prohibition. It seems only natural that the same authority which grants licenses should have the power to withhold them. It is a question that comes more properly within the functions of a provincial assembly than within those of a national and particularly a confederated parliament. Each province might well settle this question for itself in its own way. The same objection that existed to county prohibition does not apply to prohibition by provinces. The several provinces are sufficiently large that whatever difficulties might arise along adjoining boundaries from the enforcement of different liquor laws in different provinces, the difficulty would not necessarily become general throughout the province as it might in the case of a county similarly situated, no part of which could be out of easy reach of the boundary.

Whatever divergent opinions may be held by different people on the question of prohibition or license these recent votes show that it is a live question, that it must be dealt with either for good or evil, and that the policy which has been pursued by public men generally of late years, namely professing not to see it, is decidedly played out.

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## OATS.

The fall of the price of oats in Manitoba to an export basis has caused a corresponding drop in prices at Edmonton, the price now offering being 20c to 21c. The fact that oats can now be landed in British Columbia from Manitoba more cheaply than from Edmonton although nearly 700 miles nearer shows the rank injustice of the present freight rates to this particular section of the country. Edmonton cannot compete with Manitoba on an equal footing in the eastern market, while Manitoba competes in the western market on an equal footing with Edmonton. It is not, however, the competition of Manitoba that is killing us in the British Columbia market, for Manitoba has to pay at least as high a rate as we have. It is the competition from the Pacific states. Regions which are not only much nearer the great consuming points than Edmonton, but which have the advantage of water carriage and unlimited competition to reach those points, against our local rates over some 800 miles of railway line. Latest advices from Victoria are to the effect that first class oats from the States can be purchased there, sack and freight and duty paid at \$22 to \$25 a ton, the latter being the very top price. Twenty-two dollars a ton is equal to 37½ cts a bushel. The freight to Victoria is 55c per hundred or 18½ c a bushel. The cost of sacks is about 2½ c a bushel. If 2½ c is added to 18½ c which makes 21c and is deducted from 37½, the figure that oats are worth at Edmonton for export to Victoria is reached, namely 16½ c a bushel, from which again must be deducted the buyers' charges for handling. Allowing the top price of \$25 a ton the Victoria price will be 4½ c a bushel. Deduct 21c for freight and sacks and the result is 2½ c at Edmonton. Of course at Vancouver United States oats are as high as at Victoria and the freight from Edmonton is five cents a hundred or one and two-thirds cents a bushel less than to Victoria. But even that does not give a living price to farmers here. They are thus restricted by the present high railroad rates to the limited market offered by the interior points of British Columbia, which they have to share on equal terms with the farmers of Manitoba who are six hundred miles further away. If the case was not plain before it is plain now that this district is entitled to such a rate to the Pacific coast as will enable it to place its products there at least in competition with those of a foreign country. It would surely pay the railway company to take a reasonable rate for hauling Edmonton produce to the coast and make whatever money could be made out of it, rather than have that market supplied over routes of transportation in which it is not interested and from which it derives no benefit. This, besides the assistance that it would thereby give to the development of the country.

## GENERAL NEWS.

The Stocan Prospector of New Denver, B. C. is to land.  
A. W. Bleasdale has been elected mayor of MacLeod.  
Coal from a local mine sells at \$3.75 at Medicine Hat.  
Seventy ballots were cast at the MacLeod municipal elections against 121 last year.  
A very severe cold snap was prevalent in England on January 6th. Two men were frozen to death in Lincolnshire.  
Owing to the death of the senior member of the firm, Smith & Brigham's flouring mill, Moosemin, will be closed for a time.  
The Moose Jaw Times says that fully 125 per cent of the resident vote was cast at the recent school election in that town.  
Prince Edward Island gave a large majority for prohibition at the vote on the occasion of the provincial general elections. Out of 123 polling divisions only eleven gave a majority against prohibition.  
Senator Perley of Wolsley, Assiniboia, writes to the Spectator asking the privilege of meeting Jos. Martin, M. P. for Winnipeg on the platform at the approaching Moosemin liberal convention to argue the question of tariff reform. Martin is just looking for snags like that.  
Calgary Tribune: When Mr. Goggin of the educational department of the legislative assembly visited Calgary and the schools last spring, in May if we mistake not, we were informed that we would have another inspection of our schools before the close of the year, but unfortunately the end of the year has passed and there has been no school inspection. We do not know who should be censured for this neglect, but it is certainly unfair that with the large sums of money that are being expended by the Dominion government and school districts for educational purposes that a proper supervision cannot be made. If there are not a sufficient number of inspectors to cover the whole Territories at least twice a year, others should be appointed, and the work should not be allowed to lag behind.

The eating of celery is said to be a preventive of rheumatism.

W. H. Channing and W. F. Orr are candidates for the majority of Calgary.

A scientist who has been experimenting concludes that petroleum originated from decayed animal matter.

Alonso Wright of Ottawa, ex-M. P., is dead. The deceased was a member of parliament from 1862 to 1891.

John G. Muir of Nicola lake, near Kamloops, B. C. was burned to death in his home recently together with his three young daughters.

The minister of justice has prepared a report to council recommending the clemency of the crown in the case of the boy Hill, sentenced to be hanged at Brandon.

The Northern Pacific has made the following rates on freight from Winnipeg to Nelson. Carload lots first class, \$3.50; second class, \$3.27; third class, \$2.17; fourth class, \$1.01.

Le Monde states that Premier Tardieu will shortly resign, and will be succeeded by Nantel. Hackett, Angers, Duplessis and Beauchamp will form the cabinet. It does not believe there will be an election.

Calgary's total debenture indebtedness is \$48,900, to which is added loans from Moisson's bank, \$27,397.50. Total debt \$76,297.51. The town has 13½ miles of sidewalks, 3 miles of sewers and 5½ miles of graded streets.

Following is the report of contagious and infectious diseases in Winnipeg, for the week ending December 29, 1893: Scarlet fever, 26; measles, 2; whooping cough, 2; diphtheria, 2; chicken pox, 2; erysipelas, 1; total, 30.

Medicine Hat Times: Mrs. Brown, an old lady living alone at Dunmore, was brought to the hospital last week with both feet badly frozen. She was too ill to undergo an operation and after terrible suffering died yesterday morning.

The Winnipeg Commercial says that the price of oats in Manitoba is down almost to an export basis. At some country points as low as 21c per bushel is paid. In Winnipeg the price is 27c to 30c. Some parts of Manitoba are buying oats for local consumption.

Battleford Herald: Influenza continues its ravages here, and seems to be aggravated by the mild weather. At one time last week all the staff of the Industrial school except two, and half of the pupils, were laid up. In the case of the Rev. Mr. Clarke, principal, it developed into a severe attack of pneumonia. The complaint is dying out in the school. The mounted police will send out teams to-day to bring in men being sent here to relieve those lying sick with the prevailing epidemic.

Calgary Herald: Yesterday morning a normal school for the training of third class teachers was opened over Jacques' jewelry store. It is in charge of Rev. Canon Fleit of Prince Albert and Mr. J. Hewgill of Moosemin. Mr. Fleit, however, will be relieved in a month by Mr. D. J. Goggin, who has the charge at present of another branch at Regina. The following students were present yesterday: Misses I. Smith, B. Hawkey, B. Battick, L. Martin, M. Martin and Messrs. T. McClellan, J. F. Gillan and D. J. Matheson.

In a binder contest held recently at Wellington, South Australia, the Massey Harris was awarded 120.2 points against the Hornsby 119.2, the Deering 110.2 and the McCormick 105. The Massey cutting was the closest but the Hornsby delivered the sheaves best. At Balaklava the Massey stood 180, Hornsby 466, Buckeye 365, Deering 310. At Ororree the Massey took 85, Hornsby 84, Deering 83½, Wood, McCormick and Johnstone in the order named. At Virginia the Hornsby took first, the Massey second and the Deering third.

The cost of Australian mutton brought to British Columbia is 3c a pound f. o. b. in Australia, 2½ c freight, ½ c commission and 3c duty. The duty on Oregon mutton with which that from Australia competes is only 30 per cent, so says the Medicine Hat Times. Oregon mutton is worth 3½ c a pound wholesale in Oregon and 5c a pound in Vancouver, so that it completely shuts out the Australian article. It would seem that there is some room for tariff reform in the matter of mutton when Australian pays 100 per cent duty and Oregon only 30 per cent.

Free Press: Race prejudice and religious fanaticism have always played prominent parts in federal, provincial and municipal elections in Canada and promise to become more potent factors in these contests than heretofore. While the Protestant Protective Association is gaining strength in Ontario, French aggressiveness is on the increase in Quebec. In Montreal, especially, civic affairs have reached such a critical state that the English speaking residents propose asking the Dominion parliament to annex Montreal island to the province of Ontario, thus relieving them from French domination.

## MAPS OF EDMONTON.

A limited number of Lithographed maps of the Town of Edmonton for sale at \$2 a piece.  
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Anyone visiting Northern Alberta, should come and see Fort Saskatchewan

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BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, ADVOCATE, NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.  
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D. R. BALDWIN, Office and residence, Hotel Edmonton, South Edmonton.

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R. MCKERNAN,  
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES  
SOUTH EDMONTON.

## SURVEYING, &C.

The following are the charges for running lines on Sections, and locating corner posts, parties paying all expenses and assistance required:—  
For Quarter Section and locating Center Post, \$5 00  
For each Quarter Section, when 4 join in one section, each, 2 00  
When two Quarter Sections join, held by different parties, each, 3 00  
When two Quarter Sections or portions of a section join and held by the same party, 5 00  
When Surveyor finds his own help and pays all expenses, per running mile, 5 00  
Government Sections located on unsurveyed Townships.  
Plans of country road and other bridges with estimates furnished, general surveying and engineering on the most reasonable terms.  
Correspondence by mail promptly attended to.

Edw'd C. Dawson, B.C.E.,  
Surveyor, &c.  
Office—  
South Edmonton, Alta.

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—The Edmonton—

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32 lbs. Strong Bakers Flour, 10 lbs. Bran, and 3 lbs. Shorts for 1 Bushel No. 1 hard Wheat. Same weight Bran and Shorts, but less flour for grades under No. 1 hard.

There is a big rush for our Flour now.  
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All kinds of grain chopped with Burr Stones; charges moderate.

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In the vicinity of the Railway Station,  
FOR SALE. APPLY TO  
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Real Estate Agent, Hotel Edmonton, opposite Railway Station, or to  
OSLER, PAMMOND & NANTON, Winnipeg.

## Mortgage Sale

Under and virtue of a certain Real Estate Mortgage, dated the 7th day of November, A. D. 1892 and wherein Joseph Beldice is named as Mortgagor. There will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Sheriff's Office, Edmonton, in the District of Alberta on Monday the 22nd day of January next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, by Walter Scott Robertson, Auctioneer, the following property namely:—

All and singular that certain tract of land and premises situate lying and being the south east quarter of section twenty two (22), township fifty-four (54), range twenty-five (25), west of the fourth (4) meridian in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories of Canada containing by admeasurement one hundred and sixty (160) acres be the same more or less together with all buildings and improvements thereon.

TERMS: part CASH, balance on easy terms of payment.

Dated at Edmonton this 21st day of December 1893.  
For further particulars apply to S. S. & H. C. TAYLOR, Solicitors for Mortgage.

## In The Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories Northern Alberta Judicial District.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FRANCIS G. STEWART, DECEASED.

Upon the application of Charles F. Stewart the administrator of the estate of the said deceased and upon reading the petition, affidavits and other documents filed upon his application for letters of Administration:

I do hereby order that all creditors and persons having claims against the Estate of the said Francis G. Stewart, deceased, late of the Settlement of Clover Bar in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories, Farmer, who died on or about the thirty-first day of October 1893, do send in their claims against the estate of the said deceased to the said Charles F. Stewart at Clover Bar, aforesaid, within six weeks after the first publication of this notice in the Edmonton Bulletin:

I do hereby direct that this order shall be published in the said newspaper once in each week for four consecutive weeks.

And notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the time above fixed this said Charles F. Stewart shall be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only as to which the said Charles F. Stewart has then notice; and that he shall not be liable for the estate or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims the said Charles F. Stewart shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said estate or any part thereof as aforesaid.

Dated this 16th day of December, A. D. 1893.  
CHAS. B. ROULEAU,  
J. S. C.

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Across from J. A. McDougall's Store.  
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Sale of Valuable Farming Lands in the Edmonton District.  
Public Notice is hereby given that the unsold portion of the Papaschase Indian Reserve will, on and after the 1st February, 1894, be offered for sale at the Dominion Lands Office, Edmonton.

For particulars, application should be made to the above office, or the Indian Office, Regina.

HAYTER REED,  
Deputy of the Sup. General of Indian Affairs.  
Department of Indian Affairs,  
Ottawa, December, 1893.

### CASH FOR PORK

AT W. R. HOWEY'S BUTCHER SHOP,  
Between Queen's Hotel and Post Office.

## NOTICE.

Having retired from business as Flour and Feed merchant and Livery Stable keeper we beg to give notice that we have placed our books in the hands of A. McNicol, accountant, Imperial Bank Building, Edmonton, who is authorized to receive moneys on our account and wind up our business.

WHITE & STEWART,  
Fort Saskatchewan, 5th January, 1894.

IN THE MATTER OF WHITE & STEWART.  
All persons indebted to the above firm are hereby notified to settle their accounts at my office within fourteen days from date and prevent costs.

A. McNicol,  
Imperial Bank Building,  
Edmonton.  
Edmonton, 5th January, 1894.



## SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

The following public school districts have been recently erected in the Edmonton district:

Josephberg No. 206, comprising Sections 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, and the north halves of sections 19, 20, 21 and 22 in township 54, range 21; sections 25, 26, and the north half of section 23 in township 54, range 22; and sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16 and the south halves of sections 4, 15, 17 and 18 in township 55, range 21, all west of the 4th meridian. Philip Mohr, sen., Philip Mohr, jun., and Robert H. Calvert trustees. This district includes the German settlement in the Beaver hills east of Fort Saskatchewan.

Leduc No. 207, comprising sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in township 50, range 25, and sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in township 49, range 25, all west of the 4th meridian. Wm. Douglas, J. T. Ring and M. Barrett trustees. This district surrounds Leduc station on the C. & E. line.

Sunnyvale No. 208, comprising sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 in township 49, range 23, all west of the 4th meridian. Council: Ulrich, Edward Hoff and Edward Macquardt, trustees. This district is situated immediately east of Leduc district.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Thursday.  
Queen's—J. Z. C. Mignell, Wetaskiwin; R. Goulet, Winnipeg; W. Fitzpatrick.  
Columbia—A. Caron, Wetaskiwin; V. Cassin, Fort Saskatchewan; O. B. Arnold, Nemo; M. D. McMillan, St. Albert; E. A. Cummings, Sturgeon; Duncan Nolin, Fort Saskatchewan; W. H. Underwood, Poplar Lake; R. Bolduc, Clover Bar.

Jasper—H. W. Edmonson, F. A. Edmonson, Clover Bar; M. Meeks, Beaver Hills; John R. McDonald, T. R. Haddon, Sturgeon; Geo. H. Graydon, Winnipeg; L. Moret, J. Graham, Fort Saskatchewan.  
Alberta—Count de Cazes, Stony Plain; E. Taylor, Calgary; Ernest St. Jean, Fort Saskatchewan; A. E. Lake, Stony Plain.

## SOUTH EDMONTON.

Monday.  
Hotel Edmonton—S. C. C. Smith, J. C. Wool, Beaver Lake; Gordon Cumming, Lake St. Ann; J. D. O'Neill, Edmonton; J. Teller, Calgary; J. Stocks, Camrose.

Thursday.  
Hotel Edmonton—J. H. Grierson, Calgary.

## SALE OF THE INDIAN RESERVE.

The Two Hills Indian reserve, situated within about three miles of Edmonton and two miles of the railway station will be opened for sale on February 1st. This reserve has not been occupied by the Indians for a number of years and twice has been offered for sale by auction in quarter section parcels. Only a small portion was sold on each occasion. Arrangements have now been made whereby each quarter section will be sold from the Dominion lands office by private sale at a price according to a valuation placed upon it. By this means it will certainly very soon pass into private hands, which will result in its improvement and the development of its natural advantages. It includes a large proportion of excellent land, which its proximity to town and to the railway station makes especially valuable. It covers parts of four townships, namely 51 and 52 in ranges 23 and 24 west of the 4th meridian. The following is a list of the quarter sections that have already been disposed of: In township 52, range 24—Section 2, s.w. quarter; 3, s.w. quarter; 5, north half; 7, north half; 8, north half and s.w. quarter; 9, south half; 10, west half; fractional south halves of 14, 15, 16 and 18, on the northern limit of the reserve. Township 51, range 25—section 23, north half; 25, s.w. quarter; section 27, east half; section 29, n.e. quarter; section 27, east half; 33, north half; 34, all but south west quarter. In township 52, range 23—the fractional south half of section 18 and all but the s.w. quarter of 7. Nothing has been sold in 51-23.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
January.		
Thursday, 11.	28	
Friday, 12.	40	25
Saturday, 13.	7	-27
Sunday, 14.	-14	-29
Monday, 15.		-15

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Large airy rooms. First-class cook from Vanco-

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First Class Weekly and Daily Board at reasonable

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ALBERT NORMAN, Proprietor.

## MAIL TIME.

The mail arrives at Edmonton from the South on Monday and Thursday evenings at about 7:30 o'clock. Boxes held in my get their mail the same night. The general delivery opens at 8 a. m. on Tuesday and Friday mornings.

Mails leave for outlying points as follows:

Clover Bar, Agricola, Fort Saskatchewan and St. Albert, Monday and Thursday evenings after arrival of mail from south.

Morville, Nemo, and New Lannon goes on from St. Albert on Tuesday's only.

Pakistan and Saddle Lake leaves Fort Saskatchewan every alternate Wednesday counting from Jan. 3rd 1894.

Beaver Lake and Logan leaves Fort Saskatchewan on the first Wednesday in each month.

Stony Plain every Friday morning at 6 o'clock.

South Edmonton and Leduc Monday and Thursday evenings at 7 o'clock.

The mail for the south closes for registered mat-

ter on Mondays and Thursdays at 7 p. m. but ordi-

nary mail is received until a later hour.

Mails are also made up at Edmonton for South Ed-

monton, Wetaskiwin, Lacombe, Wainwright, Deer-

brock, Bowden and Oils on the C. & E. line.

The mail for H-brook is made up in Calgary.

Delmore, Angus Ridge and Lewisville mails are

made up at Wetaskiwin.

Lamartine mail is made up at Lacombe.

Mail arrives at Edmonton from Fort Saskatchewan,

Clover Bar and St. Albert at 7 p. m. on Mon-

days and Thursdays. From Morville, Nemo,

and New Lannon at 9:30 on Tuesdays only. Stony

Plain on Thursdays only at 6 p. m. Pakistan

and Saddle Lake on alternate Thursdays commencing

Jan 4th 1894. Beaver Lake and Logan on the first

Thursday in each month.

## HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

All even numbered sections excepting 8 and 26 are open for homestead entry (160 acres) by any person sole head of a family, or any male over the age of 18 years.

## ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situated or if the homesteader desires he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, OIAWA, the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg, receive authority for same to be named by the intending settler near the local office to make the entry for him. Entry fee \$10, or if cancelled land \$20.

## DUTIES.

Under the present law homestead duties may be performed in three ways, to be decided on making entry.

1. Three years' cultivation and residence, during which the settler may not be absent for more than six months in any one year without forfeiting the entry.

## APPLICATION FOR PATENT.

may be made before the local agent, or any homestead inspector.

Six Months' Notice Must be Given in Writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands by a Settler of his Intention Prior to Making Application for Patent. PRE-EMPTIONS are by law abolished, and may not be entered for after January 1st, 1894.

A Second Homestead.

may be taken by anyone who has performed the duties to entitle him to a certificate of recommendation for the first homestead on or prior to the second day of June, 1894.

Outlets to cancelled Pre-Emptions may be taken as second homesteads.

All communications having reference to lands under control of the Dominion Government, lying between the eastern boundary of Manitoba and the Pacific Coast should be addressed to:

H. H. SMITH,

Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg.

## CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Edmonton. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting every Thursday at 8 p. m.

D. G. McQUEEN, Minister.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Edmonton. Preaching in the Opera house at 7 p. m. Sunday school 2:30.

SOUTH EDMONTON, in the Methodist church. Preaching at 11 a. m.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETINGS.

Edmonton (cottage prayer meeting) Wednesday 8 p. m. South Edmonton (in Methodist church) Friday 8 p. m.

A. McDONALD, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH, Edmonton. Preaching Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Fellowship meeting at close of morning service. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League Tuesday 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. Children's service last Sunday of S. S. quarter, song service first Sunday of the quarter. Public cordially welcomed. Seats free.

GEORGE HANNA, Minister.

METHODIST CHURCH, South Edmonton. Sabbath school, Sunday at 2:30. Preaching service 7:30.

GEORGE KEMMETT, Pastor.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH (ANGELICAN), EDMONTON.

Morning Prayer 11 a. m. Evening Prayer 7 p. m. Holy Communion first Sunday in the month at 11 a. m., and third Sunday in the month at 2:30 p. m.

Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, SOUTH EDMONTON.

Evening Prayer at 8 p. m.

Holy Communion, second Sunday in the month.

All seats free and unappropriated. Strangers cordially invited.

H. STUNDEN, B. A. Rector.

## LOST.

LOST.—On 2nd Street or Victoria Avenue near Land Office. A purse containing money and other articles will be suitably rewarded by returning same to BULLETIN OFFICE.

LOST.—On the 3rd Dec., one white cow, two black spots on back, about 6 months old. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning any information as to its recovery at W. S. ROBERTSON'S office.

LOST.—From "The Mount." Clover Bar P. O. in fall of 1892, a bay horse rising 4 years old, branded circle within circle on high hip, white-spots in one eye.

Also a bay mare rising 3 years old, branded with circle in a circle, on high hip.

Suitable reward.

J. C. C. BREMNER.

STRAYED COW.

Lost some time last spring from the premises of the undersigned, Red Creek, Edmonton, a red cow, yearling, branded "A. L." on left hip, would calve during summer. Also two spring calves, heifer red and white and bull red. Finder will be suitably rewarded on returning same to the undersigned or giving information that will lead to their recovery.

H. MCKAY.

STRAYED.

Two spring calves, red and white; branded "V" joined to an "S" on right hip.

Also a white cow having two brown spots on left side, lame on right fore leg. Any person returning same to the undersigned or giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

C. W. J. HAWORTH, V.S. Edmonton.

STRAYED.

From the Papaschasse reserve, South Edmonton, A Canadian mare, coat, two-year old, color, chestnut, star on forehead and black legs, has a Roman nose, no brand.

\$5.00 reward will be given any person who will return or give information of her whereabouts to the undersigned.

J. FULTON, South Edmonton.

\$10.00 REWARD.

LOST from south-west of Beaver Lake, Section 4, Township 49, Range 19, a span of horses, one dark brown, almost black, branded with double cross on left hip the same being vent and also branded "seven" over "W" on left shoulder and "P" on right hip.

The other a bright bay, white streak down face, branded "double cross" on left hip, the same being vent. Both horses were newly shot all round. Last seen on November 18 in Beaver Hills on trail from Beaver Lake to Hay Lakes. They had white halters on. Finder will receive above reward on returning same to the undersigned or giving information that will lead to their recovery.

E. H. REID, Loran, P. O.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED.

Apply to H. B. ROUND at office of Cowie & Round

Post office. Also the Office. Apply to A. McNicol

Imperial Bank block.

FOR SALE.

Driving Mare 5 years old, quiet single or double. Will take oats in trade.

MILNE & TURNBULL.

NOTICE.—During my absence in Scotland A. McNicol, Imperial bank block, accountant, will receive all moneys due me, and will pay all accounts against me. W. S. EDMONTON.

TEACHER WANTED. Holding second or third class certificate, for Beaver Hills School district. Duties to commence at once. Applying stating salary as to

ALEX. R. ADAMSON, Sec'y, Clover Bar, Alta.

POLAND CHINA BOAR.

(Registered).

"Payne's Perfection," now ready for service. JAS. HUFF, Proprietor, Near the Eclipse stables, Fraser Avenue.

Young pigs, Registered Poland China, for sale.

STOLEN.—From Belmont farm on Wednesday night Jan. 3rd, a demerol outfit, trunk and box recently broken. A suitable reward will be paid for information that will lead to its recovery, supposed to have been taken away on a double sleigh.

C. F. STRANG, Ross River, Store.

WANTED TEACHER.

Protestant, male or female, holding second or third class certificate. Term commencing January, 1894. Exclusive reference and state salary required.

Address: A. PELLERIN, Secretary, Patridge Hill School, Fort Saskatchewan, P. O.

NOTICE.

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